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In re application of: SHARON MANTIN ET AL.

Entitled: PERFROMANCE MONITORING AND MULTIPLE CHANNELS IN AN AUTOMATIC PROTECTION SWITCHED NETWORK

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

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APPLICANT'S RESPONSE

Via Facsimile Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 25, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks. Although no amendment has been made, a listing of the claims is provided for convenience.

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